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"The woman of our country pay annually about \$300,000,000 for military manufactured in this country, besides what is brought from abroad," remarks an exchange. Were it not for a tariff on hats of about 50 per cent, one-half of this would be saved; and yet American women say they are not interested in politics.

It is hardly to be supposed that the fact that the sun shines on the just and the unjust alike led the recent Republican county convention to endorse Roosevelt and his course and, later, Penrose and his course; for had they been animated by such broad motives they would have had at least some words of commendation for Alsup and King.

One of the organs of Hon. J. M. Bayne, UNANIMOUS (?) holds last week declared in a headline that he is sure

of another term, and in an accompanying line asserted he "will be the unanimous choice of the Republicans." It may be true that he will be the unanimous choice of his party but it seems rather presumptuous to make such an assertion in view of the fact that 77 out of 1,535 voters at the Republican primary—more than five per cent—went to the trouble to scratch his name from the ticket, thereby most emphatically declaring that they did not want him to return to Congress. If more than five per cent of the few who attended the primaries refused to vote for him, how many would have voted for him if Judge Longenecker or John H. Jordan, Esq., had been opposing him.

**A ROYAL RESPONSE**  
It has always been said to the credit of the American people that they are ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in distress. Their fellow-feeling has repeatedly been shown both within our own borders and abroad. Whenever calamity has overtaken a city or the people of a section have been threatened with famine the American nation has stretched forth promptly and cheerfully the helping hand and lavishly has been bestowed that which has provided both food and shelter. These statements have been redemonstrated within the last few days and those who suffered loss from the quaking of the earth and from fire at San Francisco have been materially relieved.

It is a pleasure to note that historic and hospitable old Bedford was not a laggard but took her place in the front rank of towns of her size in contributing to the relief fund. Our burgesses acted promptly and our people contributed freely.

**NO POLITICS IN COURT.**  
During the progress of the legal battle last week which resulted in the quashing of the array of jurors for the remainder of the year President Judge Woods made a remark which is worthy of more than passing notice. It was substantially: "When elected courts and jury commissioners should know no politics."

This policy if adhered to, will result in good. It is a fact that the past on bridge and road views have been almost exclusively of the same political complexion as the court. It has never been looked upon as a stigma on the intelligence of Democrats of the county for the appointing have been accepted as political rewards for services rendered. In fact anti-election promises of such rewards have been made, not by the president judge but by one who now has a say in the matter. The Gazette, therefore, hails with delight the stand of the president judge for it augurs better and purer conditions about the court house. This remark is made advisedly, for the writer had in his own hands prior to the election of Hon. William J. Diehl a letter in which it was genuine, and we believe it was, that official offered to use his influence to secure an appointer on a road or bridge view for a voter in the county in return for services which the present judge asked that voter to render at the election. Such a state of affairs is a shame, a disgrace, and an outrage upon a people that have too long suffered such conditions to exist.

From the remarks of the judge we may infer that we are entering upon a new era, and we sincerely hope that Judge Woods may have the courage of his convictions, for "How vain are all the hopes of theory when unsupported by habitual practice."

Quick changes from hot to cold and back again try strong constitutions and cause some of the most distressing diseases. Sneezing and sniffing, coughing and difficult breathing, and the flow of the feet discharges from the throat—all are ended by Ely's Cream Balm. This honest and positive remedy contains no cocaine, mercury, nor other harmful ingredients. The worst cases are cured in a short time. All druggists, grocers, or mailed by Ely Bros., 10 Warren Street, New York.

**Throat Coughs**  
A tickling in the throat; hoarseness at times; a deep breath irritates it; these are features of a throat cough. They're very deceptive and a cough mixture won't cure them. You want something that will heal the inflamed membranes, enrich the blood and tone up the system.

**Scott's Emulsion**  
is just such a remedy. It has wonderful healing and nourishing power. Removes the cause of the cough and the whole system is given new strength and vigor.

What Will Happen to It.  
"That dimly constructed public building is a scandal!" exclaimed the patriot.  
"Never mind," answered Mr. Degraft Smithing, "it'll soon blow over."—Washington Star.

Japan's Wonderful Progress.  
Within the space of less than two years Japan has become one of the great powers of the earth, and its great advances in the war with Russia have caused the other power to take notice. The wonderful progress made by the celebrated Japanese stomach bitters has also caused the medical world to take notice, and as a result it is being considered every day by patients who suffer from nausea, heartburn, bloating, sour risings, poor appetite, indigestion, nervousness, constipation, biliousness, and all the ailments that attend a weak and unbalanced system.

Position Well Filled.  
Annals of little news, aged sere, who has been laid temporarily in charge of brother, aged three—Well, Dido, dear, I hope you have been quite a mother to him while mamma's been away. Dido—Oh, yes, indeed, dear, I have. I've snatched him three times.—Punch.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. H. Mitchell*

John had the honor of being the jolliest man in town. But tonight, which was apparently the worst night in the year, even John was a loon, and as he was having his cab driver's outfit changed, he was so noticeable that the minister inquired if he was thinking about the work of cleaning out the mind in the morning.

"No, it is not the work that I'm thinking of. If I could make as much as you this evening I wouldn't mind it a bit."

"Well," replied the minister, "I am to marry a couple this evening, and I'll give you half of my fee for driving me out and back."

"It is a deal, minister," John said. "After an hour of dreamy driving through cold and rain John drew up in front of a small house in which the service was to take place. It was two long hours of cold waiting before the minister reentered the cab, and the house drive was made. With a spirit of expectancy John once more swung open the cab door in front of the minister's house. The minister stepped out, and as he entered his own door he turned and said:

"What a thank, John," leaving the bewildered cabman to figure out what his exact fee had been—San Francisco Chronicle.

**The Precious Clock.**  
Since the middle of the fifteenth century the city of Prague has possessed a remarkable clock, the mechanism of which is most complicated. The dial, which is between six and eight feet across, has a number of hands, which mark not only the minutes and the hours, but also the days, months, years and centuries. Of this clock a poet tells us:

At the left of the dial a skeleton stands, And a host hangs a musical bell in his hands. Which he rings by a rope that he holds in his hands, In punctual function of striking the hour.

But the funniest sight of the numerous hands which the clock has to show to the people below, in tunics and tights, is the little apostles, in tunics and tights, who revolve in a ring or proceed in a row.

**Wonders About Skin Pores.**  
Each square inch of the human skin contains no less than 3,500 sweating tubes, or perspiration pores. Each of these tubes, although wonderfully minute, is about one-fourth of an inch in length. Each of these sweating tubes may be likened to a dry straw tube. We find that the average adult on the surface of his body. Each square inch of this entire outside is we have a literally permeated with its 3,500 quarter inch perspiration tubes. If we could cut each of these little tubes and end we would find that they would extend a distance of not less than 201,169 feet. Ifal you were then stopped to consider the fact that the aggregate length of the tiny ducts for draining the human body is almost forty miles!

**BROADBIRM'S BUDGET**  
Number One Thousand Five Hundred Nine

**VESEVIUS' ERUPTION.**

The Vital Question of the Present Hour—The Possession of Eminent Fortunes—Rockefeller—Carnegie.

Special Correspondence to THE GAZETTE.  
It is the unexpected that usually happens. We were prepared to welcome Easter Sunday with sunshine and flowers, without consulting the clock of the weather. Last dawn and dawn a brilliant account of the opening of Easter Sunday morning. I forgot the sage advice of Solon Shingle, "Never prophesy unless you're sure." Had I done this I would have saved myself the humiliation of going down on my knees and begging pardon for describing a beautiful scene that never took place, of Easter Sunday's sunshine and flowers. Bahl! The only great thing in night was myself; no dainty spring bonnets with flimsy ribbons that glittered against the condensed, cloudlike rays of sunshine, nothing to give hope or happiness. Instead of sunshine a driving rain clouded the landscape making everybody as miserable and unhappy as unhappiness could be. To cap the climax of misfortune instead of the jubilate we received terrible news from abroad. One of our most magnificent war ships sends a fearful calendar of death, which makes the heart sick. The name of the Kearsarge is most dear to us; we remember the original Kearsarge with pride and glory for her immortal service during the Civil War. When the original Kearsarge was destroyed, the government resolved to perpetuate the name and it almost seems like a special providence that the ship of her glorious title was not blown to pieces in the accident which caused such heartbreak and sorrowful ruin.

Everything at home and abroad seems unsettled. The news comes to us from Naples that Vesuvius grows quieter, that the sky is clearing, and that the worst is past. Perhaps so; but the fearful mutterings continue, and Mr. Pelee, in Marquise, is not giving evidence of good behavior. These fearful explosions in different parts of the world, whether they are near the frozen pole or under the equator, baffle our scientific satisfaction, but what might occur and which is altogether within the range of possibility. Geologists inform us that where these explosions take place, the crust of the earth is thin and the mighty fires that rage below find a safety valve in these burning mountains. It is a fearful and tremendous power that can send a column of fire nearly a half mile in diameter thousands of feet in the air. We look at the moon, our constant companion, and ask ourselves if on that surface there is such a thing as life? not life as we understand it on the earth, or what might possibly have existed on the planet Venus, the surroundings of which we know much, different than earth, but a life peculiar to the moon itself, that needs no atmosphere for its sustenance, which human eyes will never see and of which the human mind can form no conception.

Our worthy physician has raised a subject which touches every human heart throughout the world. The vital question of the present hour is how to evolve peace out of the present disturbed surroundings; we may demand it by the right of humanity, but there is no peace, neither will there be, till mankind in every land shall reach a near equality in the possession of the blessings vouchsafed by a merciful Providence. The difficulty which lies in the way of settlement is the desire with each man to accumulate great wealth to keep all he has no matter how he got it. Take a few notable examples, the history of which is an open page to the world. John D. Rockefeller represents the greatest amount of wealth possessed by a single individual since the world began. The faded gold, Midas, is but a figure of speech alongside of the unbounded wealth of this multi-millionaire. He starts life without capital; according to his own account his father was a hard and grasping taskmaster. He loaned his son money at the highest rate of interest allowed by law and when the day of payment came it was paid cash and nothing else. This successful financier saved his pennies in his boyhood, the pennies grew to dimes, the dimes to dollars, the dollars to hundreds, the hundreds to untold millions. He subsidizes colleges, he aids poor churches but the great body of his munificence does not find its way to the homes of the poor. After gifts amounting to over fifty millions of dollars he met with a clergyman as the almoner of his bounty, and so the work goes on. Let us look back a moment. This man, whose wealth is absolutely appalling was nearly thirty years of age before he got what might be called a start in life. For hundreds of years the great oil supply of the world was found in the seas and cessars that

cover two-thirds of the surface of the globe; eggs among monstrous whales were as plentiful as herring and bluefish are now along the New England shore. The capture of these ocean leviathans was not only a pleasure but a profit. A race of men both here and in Europe, devoted their lives to keeping up the oil supply of the world; but the instant capture and pursuit had thinned this source of supply and the world was compelled to look elsewhere for oil to answer its needs. In the nick of time speculative adventure boarded a boat and then was made that marvelous discovery, that beneath the earth's surface was a supply of oil that might last till the crack of doom; it was discovered in various parts of the globe and John D. Rockefeller by some inscrutable providence became one of the leading spirits in the new discovery. The supply was abundant but the great expense was in carrying it to the distant points where its value could be made available. Freightage either by ship, across or rail was expensive; the price where the oil was produced was a considerable elevation above the sea level; Mr. Rockefeller conceived the idea of doing away with freight by laying a series of pipes from the source of production to the point of delivery. It is not necessary to go further in the story of how the wealth of this financial giant was accumulated.

Take Andrew Carnegie; we know him as a telegraph boy; he had reached middle life before the world was amazed with the astounding intelligence that he had actually given away nearly a hundred million of dollars. The same may be said of many other men who have accumulated wealth above high-water mark. Examine into the lives of these men and the closest investigation fails to show that they did anything extraordinary which would give them the right to possess these enormous millions.

The death of Bailey, of "the Great-est Show on Earth," was something of a shock. The world owes him a debt of gratitude for the enjoyment and education he furnished his fellow men at small cost. There was no humbug about the Barnum and Bailey exhibit. It was what it announced, "The Greatest Show on Earth."

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The soothing air of Hyomel heals the smothering and raw membrane of the air passages in the nose, throat and lungs, kills off the catarrhal germs and rid the system of the last traces of catarrh.

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Furthermore, we know very exactly the geography of this neighboring globe, and in this respect there is hardly any more mystery for us than in its calendar. We have observations and detailed drawings of its continents, its seas, its streams, its islands, its capes, the mouths of its great rivers and its canals—there is not, one might say, a single point upon the surface of Mars which has not been the object of perpetual study on the part of various observers.

Still further, we know also the density of this globe as well as the intensity of gravity upon its surface, and these are two dominating elements in the organization of its living residents. The whole globe of Mars, which has a diameter of about half that of the earth (628 thousandths—6,728 kilometers or 4,281 miles) weighs only 105 thousandths of our globe, or 625,584 quintillions of kilograms. The density of the materials which compose Mars is inferior to that of our planet, the diameter of which is 10,000. If we compare this density with that of water, for example, we find that the mean density of the earth is five and a half times greater than that of Mars. In other words, our globe weighs five and one-half times as much as a globe of water of the same dimensions. But Mars weighs not quite four times (3.91) as much as a globe of water of its dimensions. Its comparative lightness is, then, less than ours.

Once more, gravely there is much less powerful than upon the earth, in the proportion of 376 to 1,000—that is to say that a mass of 1,000 pounds transported to Mars and there weighed by a spring balance would weigh only 376 pounds and that a man weighing 160 pounds upon the earth would weigh only 60 pounds upon the surface of the neighboring globe. Here we have absolute data, demonstrated mathematically and indisputable, data with which imagination has nothing whatever to do.

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Still further, we know also the density of this globe as well as the intensity of gravity upon its surface, and these are two dominating elements in the organization of its living residents. The whole globe of Mars, which has a diameter of about half that of the earth (628 thousandths—6,728 kilometers or 4,281 miles) weighs only 105 thousandths of our globe, or 625,584 quintillions of kilograms. The density of the materials which compose Mars is inferior to that of our planet, the diameter of which is 10,000. If we compare this density with that of water, for example, we find that the mean density of the earth is five and a half times greater than that of Mars. In other words, our globe weighs five and one-half times as much as a globe of water of the same dimensions. But Mars weighs not quite four times (3.91) as much as a globe of water of its dimensions. Its comparative lightness is, then, less than ours.

Once more, gravely there is much less powerful than upon the earth, in the proportion of 376 to 1,000—that is to say that a mass of 1,000 pounds transported to Mars and there weighed by a spring balance would weigh only 376 pounds and that a man weighing 160 pounds upon the earth would weigh only 60 pounds upon the surface of the neighboring globe. Here we have absolute data, demonstrated mathematically and indisputable, data with which imagination has nothing whatever to do.

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LOCAL LETTERS. (Continued from first page) married at Johnstown, is spending his honeymoon in our community and on Saturday evening the serenading band rendered several fine pieces of vocal music for the bridal party. Some good friends of Frank Bower's took several pieces of fine meat from his smokehouse recently. Mr. Bower says it was a Democrat that stole it, for if it had been a Republican he would have taken it all. Herkiah Fair and Mrs. Solomon Miller are still on the sick list. UNCLE TOM.

Point Pick-Ups. Point, April 24.—Rev. Bartlett, presiding elder of the United Evangelical church, held communion service at Sloan's Hollow church Sunday morning and at Point Sunday night. Both services were well attended and interesting sermons were delivered. Rev. Hillery will preach again at Point Sunday afternoon, May 6, at 2:30 o'clock. For St. Mark, of Jemertown, the new Baptist minister, walked from Jemertown on Saturday last and preached at Spring Hope on Sunday. He will preach again Saturday night, May 5, and Sunday night, May 6, in the Baptist church at Spring Hope. Bruce Naughton, of Winbar, spent Sunday as a guest of the family of Oliver Perdue. He reported all quiet at Winbar on Saturday. Mrs. Jennie Studebaker has been much worse for the last few days, and Charles Perdue is reported as not so well.

John Winegardner, who is with Miller Brothers painting a church in Snake Spring Valley, spent Sunday at home. John Horner is repairing the old James Ferguson mansion and is putting up a nice garden fence, which makes the old place look good. Mr. Horner has piped the water to his back door, which will be a great convenience. Everybody has praise for Roadmaster Jacob Ellenberger for the substantial way he is making our roads this spring. Mr. Ellenberger believes in doing right what he does. The citizens are doing their part by turning out or sending hands when called upon. E. O. King had a foundation built for a new wagon shed, and is getting his lumber on the ground ready for the carpenters who will soon be on hand to build it for him. Our farmers are busy: some sowing oats, others plowing for corn or oats. The grain is a general thing looks good; some places it shows some bare spots. The buds are swelling fast and the fruit trees will soon be in blossom. HOOKER.

New Buena Vista. NEW BUENA VISTA, April 24.—The sudden cold wave which visited us on Monday caused a number of our farmers to excuse themselves from their plows long enough to exchange their straw hats for fur caps and get into their felt boots and mittens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mowry and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mowry, of this place, visited friends at West End on Sunday. William Turner, of near this place, who, about one year ago, fell and injured his spine is critically ill at this writing. Mrs. H. E. Whitaker is visiting relatives and friends at Pittsburg and New Castle for a few weeks. Miss Maria Hillebrand is beautifying her home by placing a new fence around her yard and garden. Messrs. Robert and Harry Shapp, of Connelville, who have been visiting their father at this place, expect to return in a few days, accompanied by their brother Ross, who expects to be an employee of the machine shops at that place.

Henry Diehl, who has been working on a saw mill near New Baltimore, had his leg fractured below the knee one day last week. Abram Kadison and family visited at the home of Henry Werner, near New Baltimore on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gandy and daughter May, of Shannockville, visited Mrs. Gandy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kegg, on Sunday and Monday.

Sulphur Springs. SULPHUR SPRINGS, April 23.—Albert May and Charley Barkley, who work in Altoona, are visiting home folks. Mrs. William Rose and Mrs. Tilden Scottfield are on the sick list. Misses Bertha and Virginia Mowry are spending some time at the Colvin hotel. S. B. Carpenter and S. B. Brown have purchased spray pumps. H. E. May was at Bedford on Saturday. The buildings at the Mount's Side Fruit Farm are progressing nicely under the supervision of Watson Diehl. Mr. Diehl has six carpenters and four masons at work. The smiling faces of Miss Estelle Horne was to be seen at the Springs on Sunday. Miss Marie May returned home from Mrs. Blair Harley's on Saturday. Kle Brown dispatched a black snake on Saturday, which measured over five feet. James Thomas, formerly of this place, but now a resident of Cumberland, a B. & O. engineer, was the pleasant guest at the home of S. B. Brown on Wednesday of last week. OCCASIONALLY.

Schellburg Squibs. SCHELLBURG, April 25.—The graduates of our high school this year were Misses Rosale Hall, Clara Gulp, Maud Fitzmaurice, Mary Colvin, Mame Bowser and Florence Whitmore. The graduation exercises were held at the home of last week from Cambridge, graduate of the Tri-State Business college. The Seminary has a number of new students and is in a prosperous condition. Charles L. Calvin is moving into the house recently purchased from John F. Morris. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Whetstone and daughter Emily will leave the last of the week for Johnston where they will make their future home. They made many friends while they resided in our midst who regret their leaving. Miss Wendell, of Pleasantville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tucker.

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